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NOTIFICATION

The following Act passed by the Sikkim Legislative Assembly and having received assent of the Governor on 20th day of September, 2015 is hereby published for general information:-

**THE SIKKIM MUNICIPALITIES (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2015
(ACT NO. 8 OF 2015)**

**AN
ACT**

further to amend the, Sikkim Municipalities Act, 2007.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Sikkim on the Sixty-sixth Year of the Republic of India as follows:-

**Short title, extent
and commencement**

1. (1) This Act may be called the Sikkim Municipalities (Amendment) Act, 2015.
(2) It shall come into force at once.

**Insertion of new
section 15 A**

2. In the Sikkim Municipalities Act, 2007, (herein after referred to as the said Act), after sub-section (4) of section 15 the following new section shall be inserted, namely:-
“15A Nominated Councillors: - The State Government may nominate Councillors from amongst those Communities who have not been adequately represented in the Municipalities.”

**Amendment of
section 27**

3. (i) In the said Act, in section 27, after sub-section (1) and the entries relating thereto, the following section shall be inserted namely :-
“(2) The Executive body of the Municipal Corporation may elect a Chairman from amongst the Executive Members to head the Subject Committee so constituted under sub-section (1);”
(ii) the existing sub-section (2) and the entries related thereto shall be renumbered as sub-section(3) of that section.

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